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SUBJECT : ZIPPER/Nazi Elements

1. During General Gehlen's 11 December presentation before the EEC Parliamentary Committee he used a graphic chart to show the extent and number of former SS and SD personnel within the ZIPPER complex:

	Headquarters Wage Scales		Field Wage Scales		
	I-III	IV-IX	I-III	IV-IX	Totals
Total	157	284	132	529	1102
Waffen SS	1	3	4	13	21
Allgemeine SS & SD	0	0	12	18	30
Police drafted into SD	0	0	5	9	14

NOTE: The top wage scale is I.

2. In terms of SS and SD percentage ZIPPER claims they are better off than most West German ministries.

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